

Notice of Ex Parte Communication

May 15, 2003

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: CG Docket No. 02-386

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 1, 2003, the attached letter was sent on behalf of Americatel Corporation (“Americatel”) to Margaret Egler, Deputy Chief of the Consumer and Government Affairs Bureau, with copies sent to Richard Smith, Perlesta Hollingsworth and Alexis Johns, also from the Bureau. The letter indicates Americatel’s opposition to the request of AT&T, WorldCom and Sprint (“Joint Petitioners”) that the Commission defer consideration of the issues raised by Americatel in its September 5, 2002 petition for declaratory ruling until issues raised by the Joint Petitioners are resolved.

Please place a copy of this letter and the accompanying handout in the file for this proceeding. One electronic copy of this notice is being submitted to the Commission in accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Commission’s rules.

Very truly yours,

/s/

Robert H. Jackson

cc: Margaret Egler
Richard Smith
Perlesta Hollingsworth
Alexis Johns

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